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Orders for Turpentine, Casuarina, and
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Full line of samples constantly on hand

from importers and manufacturers in

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All descriptions of merchandise, orders

and bids solicited and telegraphed promptly.

Merchandise bought and sold in this

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Time as well as cash purchases negotiated,

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JAS. T. PETTWAY,

Merchandise and Produce Broker,

1841.

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MOREHEAD CITY,

CARTERET COUNTY, N. C.

CHARLES HIBBARD, Proprietor.

This splendid Sea Side Watering Place

situated at Beaufort Harbor, will be open

on the reception of guests on

Monday, June 16th, 1873.

IT IS ACKNOWLEDGED TO BE THE

MOST DELIGHTFUL

SURF BATHING

On the Atlantic coast of the United States!

designed to be the terminus of the great

Southern Pacific Railroad. Unparalleled

facilities for splendid sailing, Fishing and

Bathing.

The steamer Zodiac, Capt. Wm. H. Chapman;

comes direct from New York

every week.

Parties wishing to engage rooms, will

please address as above.

july 16-3m

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LIFE AND FIRE INSURANCE CAN BE

had at the lowest current rates in the

following responsible Companies, on ap-

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NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE

COMPANY, Assets \$20,000,000

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

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\$5,000,000 Gold

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ING COMPANY, Assets \$10,000,000

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PANY OF W. VA., Assets \$10,000,000

BYRNE & KEENAN,

Genl. Insurance Agents,

Office Chamber of Commerce, up stairs,

Wilmington, N. C.

Aug 18

1873

BARBER SHOP.

JOE TURNER wishes to inform his cus-

tomers and public generally, that he is now

prepared to do all kind of work in his line,

and would respectfully request the continu-

ation of the patronage which he has heretofore

been so liberally bestowed upon him.

Jan 16

200

Lard, Crackers and Rice.

125 TIERCES, KEGS AND TUBS

LARD.

200 lbs. Crackers Lemon Su-

gar and Soda.

20 boxes Assorted Cakes,

75 barrels and Tierces Rice,

For sale by

F. W. KERCHNER.

PARKER & TAYLOR

Successors to

A. H. NEFF,

Manufacturers and dealers in

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,

Guns, Stoves, Latterns, Kerosene, Oil Tin

and Sheet Iron Ware.

Roofing done at short notice.

Agents for Fairbank Scales,

No. 19 Front Street,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Nov 19

1873

A Convenient Store with a Desir-

able Dwelling House Attached

By VIRTUE of a power of sale vested in

the undersigned by a mortgage executed

on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1872,

Archibald H. Williams and Mary

Williams, his wife, to the undersigned, they

will sell at public auction, at Exchange Cor-

ner, in the City of Wilmington, on the 22nd

day of October next, 1873, all the real es-

tate and personalty situated in Burgo

on Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, in the

county of New Hanover, viz: One Lot known

as Lot 1, containing one acre and a half

and running one hundred and twenty feet

parallel to the Wilmington and Weldon rail-

road, one hundred and eighty one feet

and six inches wide, fronting on the said

railroad; and also, number four, in block

number eleven on Dickenson street between

Front and Wilmot Streets, and running

one hundred and forty feet parallel with

the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, and

one hundred and eighty feet deep, and

one hundred and twenty feet at right angles

to said road. Terms cash,

gold bear.

SAMUEL MEAR,

MARCUS MEAR,

Sept. 22-10-73

T. M. HOLT, President.

R. T. FULGHUM, Secy.

Sept. 16-1d

1873

STATE FAIR

1873.

Thirteenth Grand Annual Fair

OF THE

North Carolina Agricultural Society,

RALEIGH, N. C.

October 14th to 18th, 1873.

1873.

Ten Thousand Dollars in Premiums.

New and attractive Grounds.

Accommodation for sleeping 800 people.

Railroad arrangements the most liberal

ever made with any Agricultural or Me-

chanical Society in the country.

Arrangements for exhibition transported FREE,

and delivered from the cars within the

Grounds.

For passengers on railroads in North

Carolina 1½ per mile. Excursion Trains

from every city and town in the state.

Special trains for the passengers will run to the Grounds

from the city every fifteen minutes. Fare

only TEN CENTS.

Arrangements for exhibition transported

FREE, and delivered from the cars within the

Grounds.

WESTON, the great pedestrian, in his won-

derful feats of endurance.

TWO BANDS OF MUSIC.

Single admission to the grounds.

Single admission for children under 12

years of age, 50 cents.

Single admission for children under 12

years of age, 25 cents.

Single admission for children under 12

years of age, 12½ cents.

Single admission for children under 12

years of age, 7½ cents.

Single admission for

The Evening Post.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Saturday, October 4th, 1873.



The courage and enterprise of man-kind is offered in the explorations of Africa, a nobler field than in the icy regions of the poles. While all admit the advantages of the Northwest passage, if it could be found, it is extremely doubtful if the present state of science and knowledge can make the discovery. But Africa affords a splendid scope to that adventurous spirit which makes the goal of to-day the starting post of tomorrow; which is never satisfied but in action, and which makes one discovery the stepping stone for others. That unknown domain, inhabited by unknown men, will be removed from the map yet, and perhaps the great African desert will go the way of the great American desert which dotted the geographies of our youth.

The wonderful enterprise of Chicago has never been better illustrated than in the Industrial Exposition which was opened in that city on the 25th of September. Six months ago the suggestion was made that Chicago have an Exposition, and in less than ninety working days a structure of wood, glass and iron was begun and finished. The size of this magnificent building is nearly double that of the Boston Coliseum, which was supposed to have been the largest in the world. It covers more than five acres of ground, being eight hundred feet in length by two hundred in width, and its cost was about a quarter of a million of dollars.

The visitors on the day of the opening numbered about twenty-five thousand, and the articles on exhibition were numerous.

Resolved, That we recognize in the Liberal Republicans worthy coadjutors, and we cordially invite them to unite with us in our efforts to restore pure government in our State and Federal administrations.

The above is the final resolution of the Democratic State platform adopted at Utica, New York, which assembled on the 1st instant. As Hans Breitman says, every one that reads it may run. The cordial invitation falls upon the ears of the dead, and no invocation can recall a spirit which has so long departed. On the threshold which divides the past and the present, the Democracy calls upon those which exist only in the realm of the first for assistance, forgetting that it, too, must shortly join them. These calls of dotage, upon comrades who are no more, are exceedingly melancholy, for they show that no preparation is being made for that awful change which must so soon be made.

OXFORD ORPHAN ASYLUM.—The following are the contributions to the Asylum for September, 1873:

Misses Jenkins and Eddins, \$215.
Henderson Lodge, No. 229, \$98.
Collected by W. D. Faust, \$54 40.

Buffalo Lodge, No. 172, \$40.
Gatesville Lodge, No. 126, \$22.

Col. David M. Carter and Kapp of Reeds Lodge, No. 158, \$20 each.

Mt. Energy Lodge, No. 140, \$15.

Ladies of Concord, \$12.

Citizens of Manson, collected by J. A. Flemming, \$10 50.

Capt. J. B. Timberlake, Rev. John Mitchell, Dr. E. Burke Haywood, Dr. W. T. Walters, J. G. Lash, J. L. Fullerton, Mr. Cash, Dr. T. H. Pritchard, Jonesville Lodge, No. 227, Rev. J. S. Pursey, \$5 each.

R. A. Womack, \$8.

Rev. Junius P. Moore, W. L. London, Dr. W. T. Brooks, Mr. Cash, D. Wester, A. E. Henderson, Mrs. Isabella Elliot, and R. Gwyn, \$2 each.

Miss Sophie Mallett, \$1 50.

St. John's Church, Williamsboro, \$1 07.

Dr. Wingate, H. E. Headen, L. V. Blum, E. T. Blum, W. T. Vogler, J. H. Zevele, J. A. Vogler, T. B. Douthit, H. W. Shore, L. E. Butler, H. W. Barrow, J. V. Clinard, Mr. Cash, Dr. Young, Alexander Chatham, J. S. Bell, Mr. Cash, Rev. F. H. Ivey and Rev. W. B. Royal, \$1 each.

Articles in Kind—1 barrel of flour, Dixon & Purefoy; 412 yards Alamance plaids, Holt & Moore; 108 pounds batting, J. Turner Morehead; 29 bushels of meal, citizens of Manson; 1 box of merchandise, citizens of Concord; 1 box merchandise, ladies of Poplar Tent Church, Cabarrus county; 1 lamb and 1 ham, J. M. Howell; 6 chickens, A. B. Montague; 1 furnace, smoothing iron and writing ink, Grandy & Bro.; Onion sets, sugar and rice, T. D. Crawford & Co.; Cabbages and potatoes, Mrs. Jonathan Osborn; Pickles and beans, Mrs. Joseph P. Hunt; Hominy and meal, a friend.

Contributions gratefully received by J. H. Mills, in Raleigh, or A. D. Cohen, in Oxford.

EDITORIAL BUDGET.

Advices from Africa announce the capture of a white man by the natives while proceeding westward on the Congo river. From the description of the man, Charles Livingstone believes it is his son.

Special dispatches from St. Petersburg report that a rupture has occurred in the relations between the Governments of Russia and Japan, growing out of the question of the proprietorship of a portion of the Saghalian Island.

Spanish dispatches from all sections of the country represent that a much better feeling prevails. The re-establishment of discipline in the army served to restore confidence in the ability of the Government to suppress all insurrections.

There is intense excitement among the settlers and stock men in the Arkansas valley, south of Pueblo, on account of depredations committed by roving bands of Cheyenne Indians, who have already wantonly killed several hundred head of cattle. Thus far no murders are reported, but the Indians have visited a number of houses and carried away blankets and anything else they discovered, and destroyed other property. Many families sought safety in Pueblo. The schools were dismissed, and scouts are going over the country collecting men, arms and ammunition.

The London *Times* of Friday, in an editorial retrospect of the late American financial panic, says the recklessness and dishonesty lately characterizing the management of some of the great undertakings of America, have induced a chronic nervousness momentarily liable to become acute. Even Americans, says the *Times*, are not all as smart men as daring speculators.

The *Times* thinks the danger has passed for the present, but political and financial causes are liable to reproduce it at any time. A country with an immense field for enterprise, and comparatively limited capital, is always liable to panics.

Improvements made in Western communications are most useful and profitable, but may cause further trouble. The entire blame for the disaster rests upon the unsound monetary system of the country.

The naval examining board, after a recess of upwards of a month, resumed its sessions Thursday, and examined for promotion Ensign W. Kimball, Commodore Wyman, United States navy, was ordered to temporary duty as a member of the naval examining board, vice Commodore Patterson, who has taken command of the Washington navy yard. Lieutenant Commander M. L. Johnson, United States navy, has been ordered to the receiving ship Sabine, at Portsmouth; N. H. Assistant Paymaster Nicholas H. Stavey has been detached from the navy yard, Boston, and ordered to duty in the Asiatic station, per steamer of 1st of November, from San Francisco. Chief Engineer W. F. King and Second Assistant Engineer A. Kirby have been ordered to the Ossipee.—The leave of absence granted the following named officers has been extended: Captain May H. Stacy, 12th infantry, four months; Colonel Geo. L. Andrews, 25th infantry, six months.

A feature never attempted by any similar organization, together with Prof. Woodland's performing dogs. Everything will be done to insure success.

ADMISSION—Dress Circle, \$1. Parquet Circle, 75 cents; Family Circle, 50 cents; Gallery 25 cents. Seats for sale at Box Office during day of show.

ELECTRIC.

October 4—118-1t

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.

THREE TEACHERS to teach School in Cape Fear Township—Male or Female. Apply at once to H. E. SCOTT, Chairman School Committee.

October 4—118-3t

ONLY LOOK AT OUR CLOTHING, AT THE PRESENT LOW PRICES.

CHEAP GOOD SUITS,

HANDSOME DRESS SUITS,

SILK AND SOFT HATS,

BOWS AND TIES.

MUNSON & CO.,

City Clothiers.

October 4—118-1t

FOR RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, PAINS in the FACE, &c., THE ELECTRIC

HAS CURED when all other remedies have failed. It is eminently a FAMILY MEDICINE,

And no family should be without it. In case of sudden attacks, one bottle will save five dollars in doctor's bills.

For sale by all Druggists.

October 4—118-3t

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October 4—118-1t

OPERA HOUSE,

Two Nights Only, Oct. 6th and 7th.

THE WORLD FAMOUS

SKIFF & GAYLORD'S

MINSTRELS

AND BRASS BAND.

SIX END MEN,

3 Bone Players, 3 Tamborinists

A feature never attempted by any similar organization; together with Prof. Woodland's performing dogs. Everything will be done to insure success.

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October 4—118-1t

SCHOOL BOOKS,

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A LARGE AND COMPLETE ASSORTMENT of School Books just received, and for sale at

HEINSBERGER'S

LIVE BOOK AND MUSIC STORE.

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IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC SE-

GARS.

Clear Havana's, 3 for 25 cents.

Reina Victoria, 2 for 25 cents

Carefully selected for our trade,

At GEO. MYERS,

11 and 13 South Front street.

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Just Received

EX SCHOONER ANNA B. BARKER,

and now discharging at our wharf,

50,000 NORTHERN BRICKS.

To be sold in lots to suit purchasers.

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HOOP IRON, SPIRIT CASKS AND GLUE.

1500 BDLS. HOOP IRON—1, 11,

13 INCH,

1,000 Spirit Casks,

150 barrels Sugar.

For sale by F. W. KERCHNER.

LEMONS.

25 BOXES

MESSINA LEMONS,

At GEO. MYERS,

11 and 13 Front st.

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A little boy being instructed in morals by his grandmother, the old lady told him that all such terms as "by goll," "by jingo," "by thunder," &c., were only little oaths, and but little better than profanities. In fact, she said he could tell a profane oath by the prefix "by." All such were oaths. "Well, then, grandmother," said the hopeful, "is by telegraph," which I see in the newspapers, swearing?" "No," said the old lady, "that is only lying."

The *Sentinel* saw a dispatch which stated that the receipts of the Great Eastern Circus at Henderson, N. C., on Thursday afternoon, amounted to \$6,000. Who cares for a panic in the money market when the circus comes?

Corner 4th and Market Streets,

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MONDAY, October 6th,
Scholastic year of nine
days, \$40. Inter-
higher English, \$40;
French, \$24; Inclu-
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Hinton, Principal.

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the latest Fall and
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the Merchant Tailor.

6 North Front street.

W. F. WENZEL.

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EO. MYERS,

3 South Front st.

107—

HARDWARE.

BOLTS, &c., of every

size.

for the celebrated

lock. It will not

out in a life time.

ATHL JACOBIS

No. 9 Market street.

ASS.

VARNISHES,

&c., &c., at

ACORN'S

9 Market St.

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The Evening Post.

WILMINGTON, N. C.
Saturday, October 4th, 1873.

CITY ITEMS.

SIGNAL SERVICE, U. S. ARMY—WEATHER REPORT.			
OBSERVER'S OFFICE, WILMINGTON, October 4, 1873.			
Time of Observa-	Barom.	Therm.	Wind Weather
tion	65 deg.	65 deg.	NE'ly Fair
10:00 A. M.	30.009	72°	SE fresh
12:00 P. M.	30.009	72°	Cloudy
2:00 P. M.	30.007	70°	SE fresh Lt rain

OTTO SCHUTZ,
Observer, U. S. A.

The police made thirteen arrests for the week.

THE CHEAPEST STOCK OF DRY GOODS TO BE FOUND THIS SIDE OF NEW YORK, IS AT S. HANSTEIN & CO.'S.

THREE PERSONS WERE SENT TO THE HOSPITAL FOR THE WEEK.

ONLY ONE PERSON SENT TO THE WORK-HOUSE DURING THE WEEK.

MARKET REPORTS.—SLAUGHTERED FOR THE WEEK 89 BEVES, 20 HOGS, 38 SHEEP, 16 CALVES.

IF YOU WANT CHEAP AND DURABLE FURS, OVERCOATS, GLOVES, ETC., GO TO S. HANSTEIN & CO., 15 MARKET STREET.

MARRIAGE LICENSES WERE ISSUED TO 3 WHITE AND 2 COLORED COUPLES DURING THE PAST WEEK.

THE WORK OF TILING THE TILED FLOOR OF THE BANK OF NEW HANOVER WAS COMPLETED THIS MORNING.

SOMEONE'S LITTLE RED CALF KICKED IT'S LAST AND SHUFFLED OFF THIS MORTAL COIL LAST NIGHT ON PRINCESS STREET. WHO'S LOST A CALF?

DULL.—BUT FEW CARDS IN MARKET THIS WEEK, OWING TO THE EASTERN WIND, WHICH INTERFERED MATERIALLY WITH THE FISHY INTERESTS.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—COME FOURTH AND CAMPBELL STREETS—PREACHING AT 11 o'clock a.m. by Rev. H. B. BURR. SABBATH SCHOOL AT 4 p.m.

THE ONLY CHANCE OF GETTING A SUIT OF CLOTHING, SHOES, SHIRTS, ETC., AT NEW YORK COST, IS TO GO TO S. HANSTEIN & CO., 15 MARKET STREET.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, Oct. 5th—17th Sunday after Trinity—Morning Prayer and Celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 11 o'clock. Evening Prayer at 5 o'clock.

THE CONCERT IN AID OF THE OXFORD ORPHAN ASYLUM WILL COME OFF ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22d. THIS IS THE EARLIEST WEEK THE OPERA HOUSE COULD BE ENGAGED.

JUDGE CLARKE IS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE IN THE CITY THIS EVENING, AND WILL BE THE GUEST OF JUDGE CANTWELL. HE WILL PROCEED TO LUMBERTON MONDAY TO HOLD ROBESON COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT.

EVEN A FOREMAN ON A DAILY NEWS-PAPER WILL SOMETIMES MAKE A MISTAKE, AS OUR INSIDE DATES OF YESTERDAY BORE WITNESS. THE PANIC HAS A BAD EFFECT ON HIM, AND HE TRIED TO PUT OFF PAY-DAY AS FAR AS POSSIBLE BY HOLDING DATES BACK GOOD BOY.

THE TOWN CRIER.

- Coolish.
- Gold is 109.
- Dust increases.
- Go to church to-morrow.
- Encourage home industry.
- Money is, oh, awful scarce.
- Skiff & Gaylord Monday! So nice.
- Local items are as scarce as green-backs.
- Read the "Electric" advertisement.
- Fall trade has opened lively at Weill's.
- Overcoats are very acceptable this weather, at night.

THE SUPERIOR COURT COMMENCES TWO WEEKS FROM MONDAY.

NEXT WEDNESDAY IS THE LAST DAY TO BRING SUITS AT COURT.

THERE WERE A MATOR OF 17 CARTS IN MARKET THE PAST WEEK.

NOW IS THE TIME TO CATCH COLD-WARM DAYS AND COLD NIGHTS.

OLD RUMGUMBLE DECLARES HE KEEPS TIGHT TO BE EVEN WITH THE TIMES.

THERE ARE BUT SEVEN DAILY PAPERS IN THE WHOLE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA!

— QUIP SAYS THE FINANCIAL STRINGENCY HAS CAUSED HIM TO PAN OUT HIS LAST NICKEL.

— THE OPERA HOUSE OPENS MONDAY FOR THE SEASON. THE MERRY TIMES HAVE COME.

JUDGE RUSSELL HAS GONE TO ONSLOW COUNTY TO HOLD THE COURT THERE NEXT WEEK.

DELICIOUS NEW RIVER OYSTERS ARE NOW SOLD AT A DOLLAR AND A QUARTER A GALLON.

THE NIGHTS ARE MOONSHINING ENOUGH, BUT IT'S TOO COOL FOR LOVERS TO SIT ON THE DOORSTEPS NOW.

THE GREAT EASTERN CIRCUS PAYS OVER FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS IN TAXES WHILE IN THIS STATE.

DRESSMAKERS ARE ALL BUSY NOW—EVERY LADY IN THE CITY WANTS NEW DRESSES—AND LOTS OF THEM ARE GETTING THEM.

FROM ALL INDICATIONS WE SHOULD SAY THAT ANDY JOHNSON'S "GOOSE" WAS COOKED. THIS IS ROUGH ON THE OLD TAILOR.

THE WEATHER IS QUITE SHARP, BUT THE MOSQUITOES GET INTO WARM CORNERS, AND COME OUT AT NIGHT TO "BITE A FELT."

IT IS SAID THAT WE WILL HAVE A FAIR, AND THAT EVERYTHING IS PROGRESSING FINE, BUT WE WOULD LIKE TO HEAR MORE FROM COL. MC KOY.

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ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH—GERMAN SERVICE AT 11 a.m. ENGLISH SERVICE AT 7 p.m. SUNDAY SCHOOL AT 3 p.m. CATECHETICAL LESSONS ON FRIDAY AT 3 p.m.

SKIFF & GAYLORD.—THIS STERLING COMPANY MAKES ITS APPEARANCE AT THE OPERA HOUSE MONDAY NIGHT. MANY OF THE MEMBERS ARE OLD FAVORITES HERE, AND WE EXPECT TO SEE THEM GREETED WITH A FULL HOUSE. THE NOVEL FEATURES INTRODUCED WILL BE WITNESSED WITH CURIOSITY, TO SAY THE LEAST. IT IS A MYSTERY TO US—TO BE SOLVED MONDAY NIGHT—HOW SIX END-MEN CAN WORK HARMONIOUSLY.

HABEAS CORPUS AGAIN.—OUR MORNING COMPETITORS WERE MISTAKEN IN STATING THAT HIS HONOR JUDGE RUSSELL HAD BOUND OVER THE POLICEMAN MOSES WHITING, WHO WAS COMMITTED BY W. H. MOORE, J. P., FOR CONTEMPT, IN THE SUM OF \$100, FOR HIS APPEARANCE AT THE NEXT TERM OF THE SUPERIOR COURT. HIS HONOR RECOGNIZED WHITING WITH SECURITY FOR HIS APPEARANCE BEFORE HIM THIS MORNING UPON THE RETURN OF THE WRIT YESTERDAY, AND TO-DAY MADE AN ORDER DISCHARGING THE PETITIONER WHITING FROM CUSTODY.

DELEGATES.—AT A MEETING OF MOUNT OLIVET COUNCIL NO. 9, F. & T., HELD LAST EVENING, THE FOLLOWING GENTLEMEN WERE ELECTED AS DELEGATES TO THE ANNUAL SESSION OF THE STATE COUNCIL, TO BE HELD AT TARBORO ON THE 19th NOVEMBER, TO WIT: C. W. YATES, WM. M. POISSON, WM. M. HAYS, S. D. HANKINS, JAMES ALDERMAN, I. T. NORTHRUP.

IN THIS CONNECTION, WE WOULD STATE THAT THE ORDER IS REPRESENTED TO BE IN A FLOURISHING CONDITION, THERE BEING ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-THREE COUNCILS IN THE STATE, WITH A MEMBERSHIP OF TWENTY THOUSAND.

REV. J. H. WHITAKER, EDITOR OF THE FRIEND OF TEMPERANCE, WAS PRESENT AT THE MEETING LAST EVENING, AND DELIVERED AN ELOQUENT LECTURE.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.—REGULAR SEMI-MONTHLY MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN WAS HELD LAST NIGHT.

COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES REPORTED AN ORDINANCE TO THE EFFECT THAT HEREAFTER FIR WOOD MAY BE PILED ON THE WHARVES FOOT OF DOCK, MARKET AND PRINCESS STREETS, AND THAT WOOD LANDED ON ANY OTHER WHARVES SHALL BE SO DEPOSITED OR PILED AS TO LEAVE AN OPEN SPACE OF TWENTY FEET IN THE CENTRE OF THE STREET AT SUCH WHARF OR DOCK; ALSO TEN FEET ON EAST SIDE OF THE SIDEWALKS TO ADMIT OF A FREE PASSAGE TO THE RIVER. IT WAS FURTHER ORDERED THAT ANY PERSON WHO SHALL VIOLATE THIS ORDINANCE, SHALL BE SUBJECT TO A FINE OF \$10 OR IMPRISONMENT AT THE DISCRETION OF THE MAYOR.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM R. J. JONES, TREASURER OF THE WILMINGTON GAS LIGHT COMPANY, AND GEO. W. PRICE, JR. CITY MARSHAL, RELATIVE TO THE MANNER IN WHICH THE STREET LAMP LIGHTERS NEGLECT THEIR DUTIES, WERE REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS AND WHARVES.

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FIELD CROPS, 1873.

GENERAL AND SPECIAL PREMIUMS FOR FIELD CROPS.

The following General and Special Premiums for Field Crops, will be awarded at the Fifth Annual Fair of the Cape Fear Agricultural Association, to be held in the Fall of 1873:

GENERAL PREMIUMS.

COTTON.

For largest crop of Cotton upon four (4) acres or more, and for each statement of quality, soil, mode of cultivation, amount and kind of manure used, the time of planting and variety of cotton; the land to be measured and the yield to be vouchered by affidavit—one bale to be exhibited: premium, \$100.

For largest crop of cotton upon one (1) acre of land, regulations same as above: premium, \$25.

For largest crop of cotton on one acre, by a boy not over eighteen years of age, \$20.

CORN.

For largest crop of Corn grown upon four (4) acres of upland or lowland. Regulations same as for Cotton: two (2) bushels to be exhibited as sample: premium, \$50 each.

For largest crop of Corn grown upon one (1) acre of upland or lowland. Same regulations as above: premium, \$30 each.

For largest crop of Corn on one acre of upland or lowland, made by a boy not over eighteen years of age, \$20 each.

WHEAT.

For the largest yield of Wheat from five (5) acres, under same rules and regulations for Cotton and Corn—two bushels to be exhibited: premium, \$25.

OATS AND RYE.

For largest yield of Oats, Rye or Rye, same regulations as above; two bushels to be exhibited: premium, each \$20.

POTATOES.

For largest crop of Sweet Potatoes upon one (1) acre; one-fourth to be dug up two (2) bushels to be exhibited as sample: premium, \$10.

For largest crop of Irish Potatoes upon one half (.5) acre; same regulations as above for Sweet Potatoes: premium, \$10.

PEAS, &c.

For largest crop of Ground Peas upon one acre: premium, \$25.

For largest yield of Stock Peas upon one acre; for largest yield of Turnips upon one acre; two bushels of each to be exhibited, under same regulations as other crops: premium, each \$10.

HAY.

For largest yield stock pine hay on one acre; one bale to be exhibited: premium, \$20.

For largest yield of native grass, one bale to be exhibited; quality and quantity to be considered: premium, \$20.

The grass must be cut from land cultivated for hay: largest yield of red clover upon one acre; one bale of each to be exhibited: premium, each \$20.

To the farmer who raises and applies the largest number of bushels of compost manure to, and by each horse, mule or ox, used in the cultivation of his farm, the quantity to be certified to by two or more competent witnesses: premium, \$20.

All the rules and regulations specified in the foregoing premiums must be compiled with affidavits and certificates to be filed by the General Secretary, when the articles are entered, otherwise the awarding committee will withhold the premiums.

Largest yield of each of the following articles, fruits and vegetables, to be produced by affidavit and submitted to the committee: Garden Peas \$20.

Cucumbers \$5.

Tomatoes \$5.

Asparagus \$5.

Radishes \$5.

Beets \$5.

Cabbages \$5.

Sugar Irish Potatoes \$5.

Celery \$5.

Caulliflowers \$5.

Peaches \$5.

Pears \$5.

Grapes, Scuppernong, Mich., Flowers and Concord \$5.

SPECIAL PREMIUMS.

By the Navassa Guano Company, of Wilmington, 500 pounds Navassa Guano for the best yield of corn from four acres of upland or cotton from four acres of upland for the best yield of cotton from four acres of upland.

500 pounds Navassa Guano for the best yield of oats from four acres of upland.

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